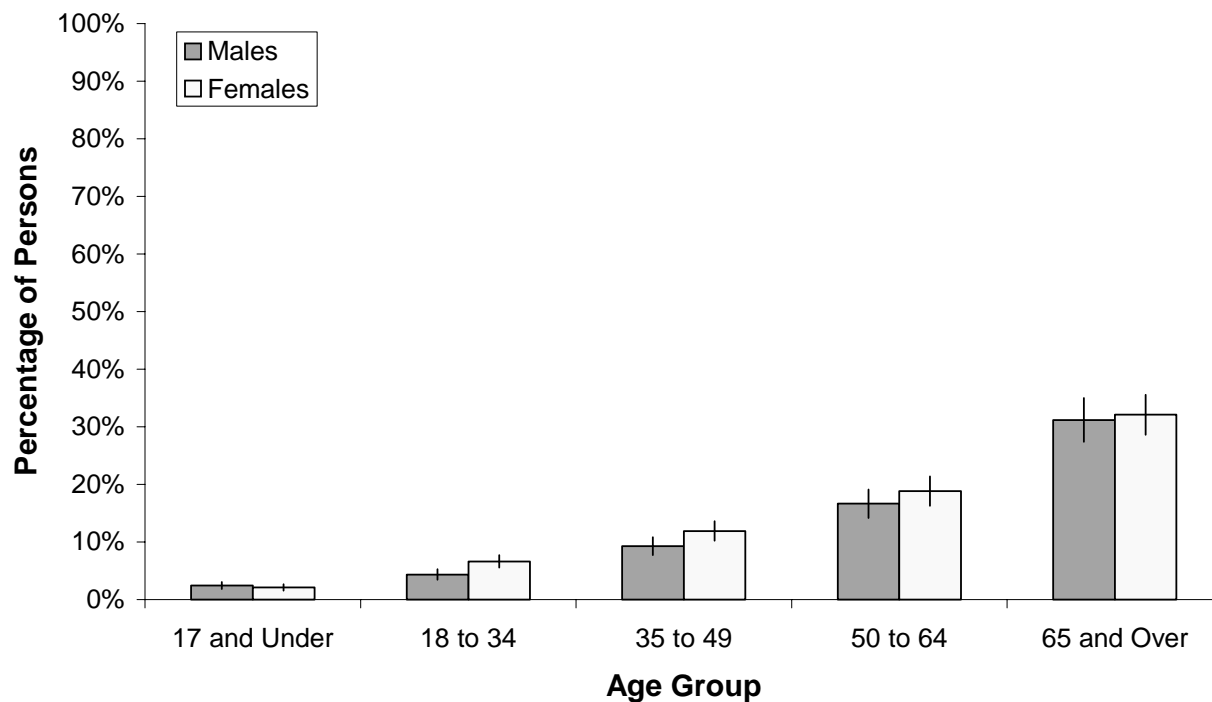




General Health Status: Percentage of Persons Who Were in Fair or Poor Health by Sex and Age, Utah 2001



- Perceived health is an indicator of health status that is measured by surveys, and is not available through other existing data sources.
- The likelihood that an individual will report that his or her health is fair or poor increases with age. It is also slightly higher for women overall.

General Health Status



Table 1. General Health Status: Percentage of Persons Who Were in Fair or Poor Health by Sex, Age, and Local Health District, Utah 2001.

Demographic Subgroup	Utah Population Distribution		Survey Estimates of Utahns Who Were in Fair/Poor Health		
	Percentage Distribution	Number of Persons ¹	Percentage of Persons Who Were in Fair/Poor Health ²	Number of Persons ^{3,4}	Percentage Distribution of Persons in Fair/Poor Health by Subgroup ⁴
2001 Utah Population	100.0%	2,295,967	9.1% \pm 0.5%	207,900	100.0%
Sex					
Male	50.1%	1,150,881	8.0% \pm 0.6%	92,500	44.5%
Female	49.9%	1,145,086	10.1% \pm 0.7%	115,300	55.5%
Total, All Utahns	100.0%	2,295,967	9.1% \pm 0.5%	207,900	100.0%
Age Group					
17 and Under	31.8%	730,417	2.3% \pm 0.4%	16,700	8.0%
18 to 34	29.1%	669,170	5.5% \pm 0.7%	36,700	17.6%
35 to 49	19.2%	439,986	10.6% \pm 1.2%	46,600	22.4%
50 to 64	11.4%	262,021	17.8% \pm 1.9%	46,500	22.3%
65 and Over	8.5%	194,373	31.7% \pm 2.8%	61,600	29.6%
Total, All Utahns	100.0%	2,295,967	9.1% \pm 0.5%	207,900	100.0%
Sex and Age					
Males, 17 and Under	16.4%	375,761	2.4% \pm 0.6%	9,200	4.4%
Males, 18 to 34	14.7%	338,358	4.3% \pm 0.9%	14,700	7.1%
Males, 35 to 49	9.7%	222,338	9.3% \pm 1.6%	20,600	9.9%
Males 50 to 64	5.6%	129,263	16.6% \pm 2.5%	21,500	10.3%
Males, 65 and Over	3.7%	85,161	31.2% \pm 3.8%	26,600	12.8%
Females, 17 and Under	15.4%	354,656	2.1% \pm 0.6%	7,500	3.6%
Females, 18 to 34	14.4%	330,812	6.7% \pm 1.1%	22,000	10.6%
Females, 35 to 49	9.5%	217,648	11.9% \pm 1.7%	25,900	12.4%
Females 50 to 64	5.8%	132,758	18.9% \pm 2.6%	25,000	12.0%
Females, 65 and Over	4.8%	109,212	32.1% \pm 3.5%	35,100	16.9%
Total, All Utahns	100.0%	2,295,967	9.1% \pm 0.5%	207,900	100.0%
Local Health District ⁵					
Bear River	6.0%	138,600	8.6% \pm 1.5%	12,000	5.8%
Central	2.9%	67,207	9.2% \pm 1.8%	6,200	3.0%
Davis	10.7%	244,844	8.5% \pm 1.6%	20,700	10.0%
Salt Lake	40.0%	918,279	9.4% \pm 1.0%	86,600	41.7%
Southeastern	2.3%	52,817	11.7% \pm 2.1%	6,200	3.0%
Southwest	6.4%	147,370	11.2% \pm 1.9%	16,500	7.9%
Summit	1.4%	31,279	6.3% \pm 1.6%	2,000	1.0%
Tooele	1.9%	44,430	8.6% \pm 1.6%	3,800	1.8%
TriCounty	1.8%	41,640	11.9% \pm 1.8%	4,900	2.4%
Utah County	16.8%	385,690	7.2% \pm 1.2%	27,700	13.3%
Wasatch	0.7%	15,947	7.7% \pm 1.7%	1,200	0.6%
Weber-Morgan	9.1%	207,864	9.6% \pm 1.9%	19,900	9.6%
Total, All Utahns	100.0%	2,295,967	9.1% \pm 0.5%	207,900	100.0%

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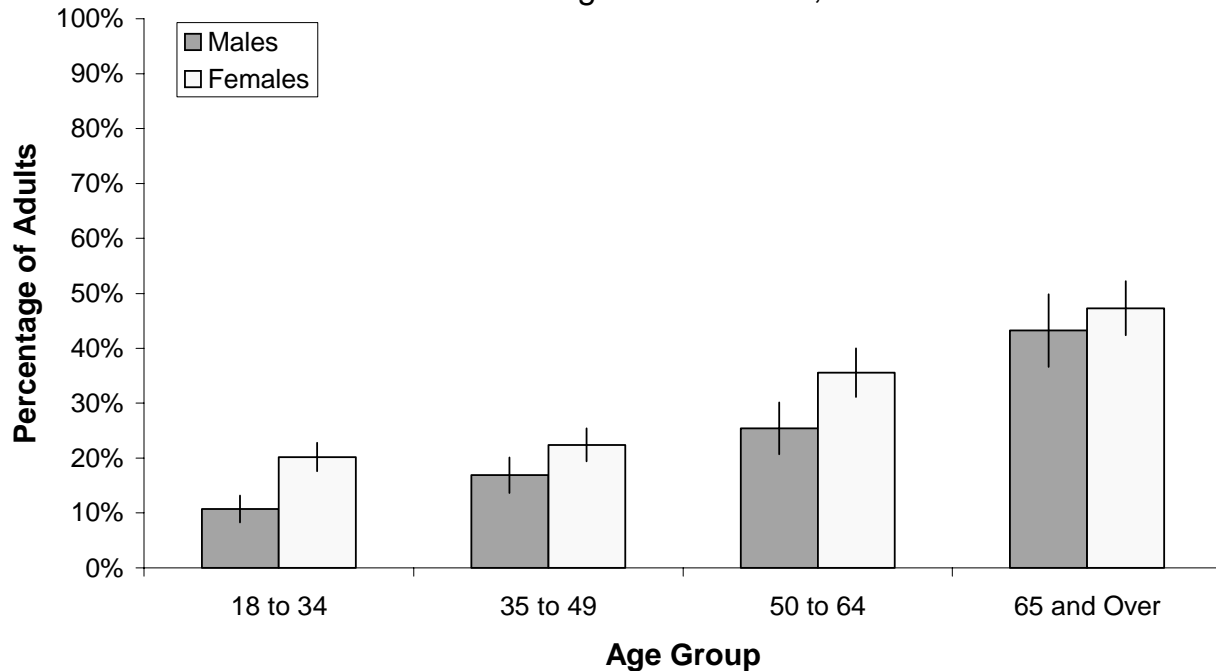
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General Physical Functional Status: Percentage of Adults Who Accomplished Less as a Result of Their Physical Health by Sex and Age Adult Utahns Age 18 and Over, 2001



- Accomplishing less as a result of physical health status is addressed by one of the 12 questions that were administered as the “SF-12,” the Medical Outcomes Study short-form, 12-item health status measure.
- About 23% of Utah adults surveyed indicated that they accomplished less in the last 30 days as a result of their physical health. This percentage increased with age.
- Among persons age 18 to 34, women were almost twice as likely (20% versus 11%) to indicate that they accomplished less because of their physical health.

General Health Status



Table 2. General Physical Functional Status: Percentage of Adults Who Accomplished Less as a Result of Their Physical Health by Sex, Age, and Local Health District, Adult Utahns Age 18 and Over, 2001.

Demographic Subgroup	Utah Population Distribution		Survey Estimates of Utahns Who Accomplished Less		
	Percentage Distribution	Number of Persons ¹	Percentage of Persons Who Accomplished Less ²	Number of Persons ^{3,4}	Percentage Distribution of Persons Who Accomplished Less by Subgroup ⁴
2001 Utah Population, Adults 18+	100.0%	1,565,550	22.9% ± 1.3%	358,800	100.0%
Sex					
Male	49.5%	775,120	18.7% ± 1.9%	144,900	40.4%
Female	50.5%	790,430	27.1% ± 1.7%	213,900	59.6%
Total, All Utahns Age 18+	100.0%	1,565,550	22.9% ± 1.3%	358,800	100.0%
Age Group					
18 to 34	42.7%	669,170	15.4% ± 1.8%	103,000	28.8%
35 to 49	28.1%	439,986	19.6% ± 2.2%	86,400	24.1%
50 to 64	16.7%	262,021	30.7% ± 3.3%	80,400	22.5%
65 and Over	12.4%	194,373	45.4% ± 4.1%	88,200	24.6%
Total, All Utahns Age 18+	100.0%	1,565,550	22.9% ± 1.3%	358,800	100.0%
Sex and Age					
Males, 18 to 34	21.6%	338,358	10.7% ± 2.5%	36,200	10.1%
Males, 35 to 49	14.2%	222,338	16.9% ± 3.2%	37,500	10.5%
Males 50 to 64	8.3%	129,263	25.4% ± 4.7%	32,900	9.2%
Males, 65 and Over	5.4%	85,161	43.2% ± 6.6%	36,800	10.3%
Females, 18 to 34	21.1%	330,812	20.2% ± 2.6%	66,700	18.6%
Females, 35 to 49	13.9%	217,648	22.4% ± 3.0%	48,800	13.6%
Females 50 to 64	8.5%	132,758	35.5% ± 4.4%	47,200	13.2%
Females, 65 and Over	7.0%	109,212	47.3% ± 4.9%	51,600	14.4%
Total, All Utahns Age 18+	100.0%	1,565,550	22.9% ± 1.3%	358,800	100.0%
Local Health District ⁵					
Bear River	6.0%	93,555	20.4% ± 3.4%	19,100	5.3%
Central	2.8%	44,411	23.0% ± 4.1%	10,200	2.8%
Davis	10.3%	160,801	23.2% ± 4.2%	37,300	10.4%
Salt Lake	40.9%	640,654	22.6% ± 2.3%	144,900	40.4%
Southeastern	2.3%	35,968	26.0% ± 4.3%	9,300	2.6%
Southwest	6.5%	101,940	27.7% ± 4.4%	28,200	7.9%
Summit	1.4%	22,186	16.0% ± 3.5%	3,500	1.0%
Tooele	1.9%	29,436	22.8% ± 3.6%	6,700	1.9%
TriCounty	1.8%	27,434	29.2% ± 4.3%	8,000	2.2%
Utah County	16.3%	254,723	20.8% ± 3.1%	53,100	14.8%
Wasatch	0.7%	10,662	20.9% ± 4.1%	2,200	0.6%
Weber-Morgan	9.2%	143,780	25.0% ± 4.5%	36,000	10.0%
Total, All Utahns Age 18+	100.0%	1,565,550	22.9% ± 1.3%	358,800	100.0%

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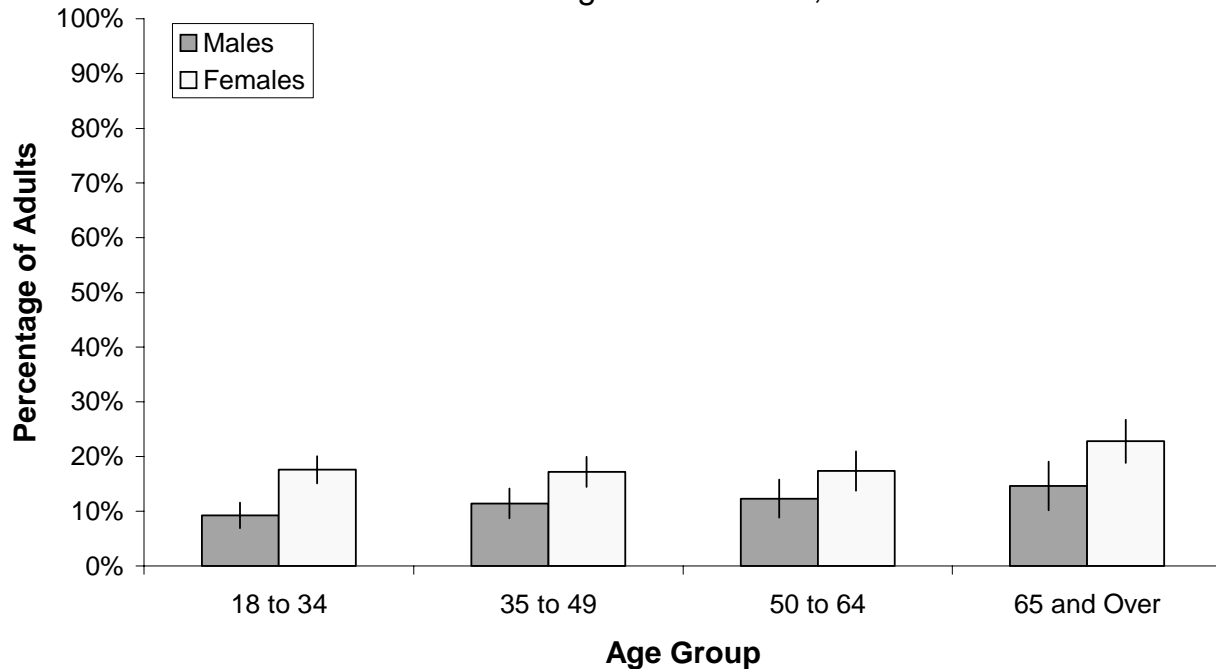
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General Mental Functional Status: Percentage of Adults Who Accomplished Less as a Result of Their Mental Health by Sex and Age Adult Utahns Age 18 and Over, 2001



- Accomplishing less as a result of one's mental health is also addressed by one of the questions from the Medical Outcomes Study SF-12 Survey. The SF-12 is the only direct measure of mental health status in the 2001 Utah Health Status Survey, and one of the only population measures of mental health that is available in Utah.
- 14.6% of surveyed Utah adults indicated that they accomplished less in the last 30 days as a result of their mental health.
- Women were more likely to indicate that they accomplished less because of their mental health than were men; this was especially evident for those women age 18 to 34 who were almost twice as likely (17.6% versus 9.3%) as men age 18 to 34 to indicate that they accomplished less because of their mental health status.



Table 3. General Mental Functional Status: Percentage of Adults Who Accomplished Less as a Result of Their Mental Health by Sex, Age, and Local Health District, Adult Utahns Age 18 and Over, 2001.

Demographic Subgroup	Utah Population Distribution		Survey Estimates of Utahns Who Accomplished Less		
	Percentage Distribution	Number of Persons ¹	Percentage of Persons Who Accomplished Less ²	Number of Persons ^{3,4}	Percentage Distribution of Persons Who Accomplished Less by Subgroup ⁴
2001 Utah Population, Adults 18+	100.0%	1,565,550	14.6% ± 1.1%	228,600	100.0%
Sex					
Male	49.5%	775,120	11.0% ± 1.5%	85,400	37.3%
Female	50.5%	790,430	18.1% ± 1.5%	143,300	62.7%
Total, All Utahns Age 18+	100.0%	1,565,550	14.6% ± 1.1%	228,600	100.0%
Age Group					
18 to 34	42.7%	669,170	13.4% ± 1.7%	89,500	39.2%
35 to 49	28.1%	439,986	14.3% ± 1.9%	63,100	27.6%
50 to 64	16.7%	262,021	14.9% ± 2.5%	39,100	17.1%
65 and Over	12.4%	194,373	19.0% ± 3.0%	36,900	16.1%
Total, All Utahns Age 18+	100.0%	1,565,550	14.6% ± 1.1%	228,600	100.0%
Sex and Age					
Males, 18 to 34	21.6%	338,358	9.3% ± 2.3%	31,300	13.7%
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Males 50 to 64	8.3%	129,263	12.3% ± 3.5%	15,900	6.9%
Males, 65 and Over	5.4%	85,161	14.6% ± 4.4%	12,500	5.5%
Females, 18 to 34	21.1%	330,812	17.6% ± 2.5%	58,200	25.4%
Females, 35 to 49	13.9%	217,648	17.2% ± 2.7%	37,500	16.4%
Females 50 to 64	8.5%	132,758	17.3% ± 3.6%	23,000	10.1%
Females, 65 and Over	7.0%	109,212	22.8% ± 3.9%	24,900	10.9%
Total, All Utahns Age 18+	100.0%	1,565,550	14.6% ± 1.1%	228,600	100.0%
Local Health District ⁵					
Bear River	6.0%	93,555	13.8% ± 3.0%	12,900	5.6%
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